

**RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE
GROUP ART UNIT 1742**

Docket Number
60303.32

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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| Applicants: Takeshi NISHIUCHI et al. Application No.: 10/642,324 Confirmation No.: 2834 Filing or 371(c) Date: August 18, 2003 Title: COMPOUND FOR RARE-EARTH BONDED MAGNET AND BONDED MAGNET USING THE COMPOUND | Art Unit: 1742 Examiner: J. Sheehan |
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REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION

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Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated June 20, 2006, the period for response to which has been extended to October 20, 2006, by the accompanying Petition for a ONE-month Extension of Time, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Listing of the Claims begins on page **2**. No amendments have been made to the Claims.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page **6** of this paper.